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Title:

METHOD FOR IMAGE DESCRIPTION USING COLOR AND LOCAL

SPATIAL INFORMATION

POWER OF ATTORNEY

I, Jon K. Clemens, declare that I am the President of Sharp Laboratories of America, Inc., a Washington corporation, and am authorized to execute this document on its behalf. Sharp Laboratories of America, Inc., is the assignee of the entire right, title and interest in the above-referenced patent application and hereby appoints Jacob E. Vilhauer, Jr., Reg. No. 24,885, Charles D. McClung, Reg. No. 26,568, Dennis E. Stenzel, Reg. No. 28,763, Donald B. Haslett, Reg. No. 28,855, William O. Geny, Reg. No. 27,444, J. Peter Staples, Reg. No. 30,690, , Kevin L. Russell, Reg. No. 38,292, Nancy J. Moriarty, Reg. No. P-40,733, Bruce W. DeKock, Reg. No. P-40,585, and Tim A. Long, Reg. No. P-28,876 all members of the firm of CHERNOFF, VILHAUER, McCLUNG & STENZEL, 1600 ODS Tower, 601 S W Second Avenue, Portland, Oregon 97204, Telephone No. (503) 227-5631, its attorneys, jointly and individually, to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

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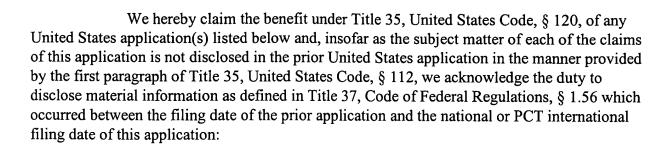
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We believe that we are the original, first and only inventors of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

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